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**1st SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT AND AUTHORIZATION TO
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[] a \$130.00 petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i).

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[] Applicant requests that the attached IDS and cited reference(s) [] be placed in the application filewrapper.

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[X] Some of the listed references were cited in a Search Report in a counterpart Hungarian application, a copy of which is attached hereto, or cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application.

- ☒ Enclosed herewith is form PTO/1449 (2 pages; reproduced form), with a copy of selected references noted thereon. This application was filed after June 30, 2003 and as such, copies of any United States Patent or Patent Publications are not enclosed.
- ☒ Copies of the reference(s) noted on the enclosed form PTO/1449 were previously cited by or submitted to the Patent and Trademark Office in connection with U.S. Application Serial No. [09/719,457], to which the present application claims benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 (37 C.F.R. 1.98(d)). Applicants request that copies of art in U.S. Application Serial No. 09/719,457 cited on the enclosed PTO/1449 form be transferred to the present U.S. Application Serial No. 10/771,725.

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- ☐ The "concise explanation" requirement for reference(s) ["D"] under 37 CFR 1.98(a)(3) is satisfied by:
- ☐ the explanation provided on the attached sheet.
 - ☐ the explanation provided in the Specification.
 - ☐ submission of the enclosed International Search Report.
 - ☒ the enclosed English language European Patent EP 0 253 310 reported as an equivalent thereof pursuant to the enclosed DERWENT[®] search report.

It is requested that the information disclosed herein be made of record in this application, and that the references listed on the enclosed form PTO/SB/08B appear under the "References Cited" heading of any Patent which issues from this application, (MPEP 1302.12).

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